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Home and Vicinity

J. L. Fuffy was in Mt. Pleasant Tuesday.

E. Starnard was a Saginaw visitor on business Saturday.

Frank Horne of Ithaca, was a caller in the city Tuesday.

Miss Mattie Pease spent the Sabbath with Owasco friends.

James Gibbs, the Ithaca banker, was in our city Thursday.

Rev. Williams of Ithaca, was an Alma visitor Tuesday.

A. E. Ferguson was in Shepherd Tuesday on a business trip.

Mrs. C. Koon visited relatives and friends at Toledo Thursday.

J. H. Pinney, of Ithaca, transacted business in the city Thursday.

P. W. Cramer was in North Star Thursday and Friday on business.

W. E. Vance, of Ithaca, was in the city transacting business Tuesday.

Miss V. Hess, of Ithaca, spent Thursday in the city visiting friends.

Miss Gwendolyn Severy returned Thursday from a short visit at Ithaca.

Mrs. H. C. Richardson spent Sunday visiting her parents at Saginaw.

Mr. Prayne was a Owasco Saturday in the interest of the Union Telephone Co.

Mrs. Minnie Woodward of Shepherd visited with Mrs. John Calvin Thursday.

Mrs. Dora Ide returned Tuesday from a short visit with her sister at North Star.

W. J. McCullough and wife spent Sunday visiting their daughters in Saginaw.

Mrs. A. K. McLaney, of Flint, is spending the week a guest at the L. N. Baker home.

Walter Barnes and daughter spent Sunday in Toledo visiting relatives and other friends.

Miss Jessie Holloway, of Mt. Pleasant, was the guest of Ed. Hoyt and family over Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Rollin and mother, Mrs. Galvin spent Sunday in St. Louis visiting Mrs. Rollin's sister.

Mrs. D. B. Pierce left Thursday for a short visit at the home of her mother Mrs. Cora Frisbie, of Forest Hill.

Miss Ethel Gillett left Saturday for Detroit, where she will spend a few days the guest of Mrs. Vocanegra.

The College basketball team went to Mt. Pleasant Friday for a game and were defeated by a score of 35 to 23.

Mrs. G. W. Almsley left Tuesday for Cadillac, where she will spend a few days visiting Mrs. C. S. Chadwick.

John Joy, with the Alma Mfg. Co. was at DePue, Ohio, the latter part last week in the interest of the company.

Mrs. N. J. Best, of Shepherd, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. L. Jenner returned home to Shepherd Tuesday.

Hazel Potter who teaches school west of the city left Saturday for her home in Merrill, where she will spend a two weeks vacation.

Arthur Darlymple and wife, of Lansing arrived in the city Tuesday. Arthur will work his father's farm near the city the coming summer.

Nathan Smith and wife, of Sheboygan, who have been the guests of W. H. Pratt and family the past week, returned to their home Saturday.

Eggs for hatching from thoroughbred prize-winning white Wyandottes. Also a few cockerels for sale. None better. Prices reasonable. A. Burgland, Bell phone 68. 151612

Mrs. J. C. Taylor went to Durand Saturday. Her daughter who was visiting relatives at Lansing was taken suddenly ill and she went to Durand to assist her daughter home.

Harry Way's horse, which was tied near the depot became frightened at the train Saturday afternoon and ran across the road into the fence breaking the buggy quite badly, but hurting no one.

Miss Mary Bovee visited friends at Ellwell Monday.

Mrs. Stella Reed visited relatives at Ithaca Monday.

W. T. Naldratt and wife were Ithaca visitors Tuesday.

M. R. Husted was Shepherd Monday on business.

P. D. Pettit, of Ithaca, was a caller in our city Monday.

Dr. J. H. Lancashire was in Saginaw Monday on business.

Edgar Boner, of Clare, transacted business in our city Monday.

John Johnson of Ithaca, was an Alma business caller Monday.

C. C. Wright of Owasco, was a business caller in the city Monday.

W. H. Parr left for a business trip to Ithaca and vicinity Monday.

E. W. Luke of Forest Hill was business caller in the city Monday.

Miss Ellen Medalla, of Mancelona visited friends at this place Monday.

James Budd, of Shepherd was the guest of friends in this city Monday.

Perry Watts, of Edmore, visited at the home of Freeman Evans Monday.

G. H. Bausill was called to Bellaire Tuesday by the death of his brother.

C. H. Decker, contractor and builder, was in Lansing on business Monday.

Miss Lillian Crandell of North Star, visited friends at the college Monday.

L. H. Taylor has moved here from Vestaburg and will reside on Pleasant avenue.

Miss Minnie Peipow went to St. Louis Monday, where she will be employed.

Earl Moore and wife, of Durand spent Monday in this city, the guests of friends.

Miss Ellen Backus, of Grand Rapids spent Sunday the guest of J. W. Barron and family.

Mrs. C. L. Wood returned Monday from a few days' visit with relatives in Mt. Pleasant.

Chauncey Hower, of Mt. Pleasant arrived Monday and will work for W. J. Birmingham.

Mrs. Jake White went to St. Louis Monday for a short visit with her uncle, Vin Sias.

Genevieve LaMay left Monday for a short visit with her sister, Mrs. W. Langin, at Riverdale.

Miss Daisy Shue of Shepherd, spent Sunday with F. Vernier and family returning home Monday.

Rev. A. B. Bowman went to North Star Monday, where gave a speech on the temperance question.

G. Breeze left Monday for Lansing, where he has accepted a position with the city electric light plant.

Mr. Otto Fought, of Fromont, Ohio, is visiting his cousin, Mrs. Laura Sweet, for a few days.

Mrs. M. Smith, of Edmore spent Sunday a guest of the Courtwright home in this city, returning Monday.

Miss Grace Messenger was a Detroit visitor Tuesday. She had the pleasure of hearing the great singer, Nordica.

Phil Hinderbrant of New York state enroute to Riverdale, visited his nephew, Fred Robinson in this city Monday.

L. H. Taylor left Tuesday for Lansing and Kingston, where he will spend a few days with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Nettie Lindsay, of Napoleon, Ohio, returned home after spending Sunday at the home of Earl Clark and family.

Mrs. S. A. Siddle left Monday for her home at Lake City after a few days' visit with Oscar Parker and family.

Mrs. Frank Richardson went to St. Louis Monday evening after a few days' visit with her parents, O. Sipe and wife.

Mrs. M. Pruyne returned Monday from Owasco, where she attended the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. Wallace Greeney.

Thomas McGuire, commercial agent for the P. M. railroad, was shaking hands with old friends in the city yesterday.

James Reid of Mt. Pleasant, spent the Sabbath with his daughters, Mrs. George Beck and Mrs. Gilbert Miller of this city.

Mrs. O. J. Parker, of McBride, who visited Oscar Parker and family, of this city, over Sunday returned to her home Monday.

D. Wood and wife left Tuesday morning for Chicago, where they will spend several days as delegates at the Lake Union Conference.

WANTED—Strong middle aged woman for general house work. Inquire of John D. Spinner, Room No. 7, Polasky Block, Alma Mich. 151617

Clyde Campbell and wife left Tuesday for a visit with friends and relatives in Hillsdale. Clyde is baggage master at the depot in this city.

Mr. Frank Randolph, of Cole was in the city Monday visiting friends going on the afternoon train to Forest Hill where she will visit a short time.

H. E. Mosley of Grand Rapids, spent Sunday in the city. Mrs. Mosley will spend several weeks here taking treatment at the Sanatorium.

Charles Marx, who has been at the Wright House hack driver for the past four months, returned to his home in Mt. Pleasant Tuesday. Bert Mangus will take his place.

Mrs. Leroy Cumberworth, of Perinton, arrived Saturday afternoon. Her husband, recently, purchased the "Wm. Sloan" farm and they expect to move there soon.

John Eagan was at Ellwell Friday evening.

J. P. Taylor and wife spent Saturday at Ithaca.

John Barry was in Owasco Saturday on business.

Ed Moffett, of Ellwell was an Alma caller Thursday.

J. W. Barron was a visitor at Mt. Pleasant Saturday.

Mar Pearl Fuller visited relatives in St. Louis Saturday.

Rev. Funnell and three daughters spent Sunday at Durand.

Miss Iris Sneadheart visited friends at Mt. Pleasant Saturday.

Miss Barbara Wynne spent Sunday visiting friends at Ithaca.

A. M. Alexander, of Riverdale was a caller in our city Friday.

Miss Lena Wiley spent Sunday at Ellwell the guest of friends.

Miss Bertha Downs spent last Thursday in Ithaca visiting friends.

C. W. Tann, of Ellwell transacted business in the city Thursday.

Mrs. Finch, of Saginaw visited Mrs. A. L. Pratt in the city Thursday.

O. E. Anderson was at Ashley Thursday on a successful business trip.

C. W. Cootes, of Big Rapids, was a business caller in this city Friday.

Mrs. Ira Bovee spent Sunday at Ithaca visiting Will Sell and family.

A. Berman left Thursday evening for a short visit with his sons at Bay City.

Miss Merl Wickard, of Shepherd spent Sunday the guest of Vay Braece.

Mrs. A. J. Love spent Sunday at Ashley a guest at the home of Frank Pratt and family.

Mrs. Purvis and daughter, Bertha, spent Sunday at Saginaw, the guest of relatives.

E. E. Oswald and wife spent Sunday in St. Louis, the guests of M. C. Turner and family.

B. K. Adams and wife, of Detroit, spent Sunday in the city, the guests of E. Adams and family.

Mrs. Lizzie Britten, of St. Johns, enroute to Riverdale visited Mrs. E. L. Smith Thursday.

Mrs. W. A. Zinke, of Cleveland, spent Friday visiting at the home of her mother in this city.

A. H. Dillon and wife who have been visiting southern Michigan points arrived home Thursday.

Mrs. S. Thompson and Mrs. Irene Salisbury, of Shepherd were in the city Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. C. M. Kline, of Wapakoneta, Ohio, visited W. L. Parr and family last Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. M. E. Udell left Friday morning for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Robinson at Lansing.

Dr. Lancashire and daughters, Harriet and Lila returned Thursday evening from their visit in Detroit.

H. H. Hudson, of Detroit, as a business caller in the city Thursday and was the guest of D. R. Packard.

Mrs. H. A. Worthing, of Ithaca, returned to her home Thursday, after a short visit with Mrs. N. A. Trutt.

Orin Bailey and wife, of Wheeler, came Friday for a short visit with C. Bailey and other relatives in the city.

C. H. Holland, returned to his home in Saginaw Friday, after a short visit with his daughter, Mrs. W. J. Melcher.

Thomas Richards, wife and son left Saturday for Anacostia, Washington, where they will make their future home.

Mrs. L. J. Clark and sister, Mrs. Beebe left Friday evening for a short visit at the home of A. Cole and family at Greenville.

Mrs. Will Bacon, who has been visiting her mother, in this city for a few days, returned to her home in St. Johns Friday.

Mrs. Milo Smith, of Weberville, visited at the home of E. W. Chadwick the latter part of last week, arriving Thursday evening.

A. L. White, of Shepherd, who looks after the interests of the Michigan Sugar Company at that place, was a business caller in the city Friday.

Silas Randolph and wife who have been visiting relatives at Forest Hill, left Friday for their home at Narrows, Harney Valley, Oregon.

W. H. Campbell, of New York City who has been visiting the families of I. C. Moody and E. H. Doane returned to his home Saturday morning.

Mrs. George Abbot and son, of Cadillac, who have been visiting at the home of D. F. Abbott and family for short time, returned to her home Thursday.

George Anderson, who has been attending college here and who was taken with scarlet fever a few weeks ago, was able to return to his home at Omena Friday morning.

Jerome Christopher, Passenger of Ithaca, was in the city Friday evening in attendance at the dancing party at the Woodman Hall and was the guest of Miss Alta Taylor.

Miss Etta Millian, of Portington who was called here a week ago by the death of Mr. L. Bailey, returned to her home Friday.

Theodore McCully, of Mt. Pleasant who has been visiting his cousin, Ed. Hoyt and family for a few days, returned home Saturday.

The ladies of the Baptist church, will serve warm sugar at the home of Mrs. D. P. Struble, Friday night, March 20. Price 10 cents.

John Gamble, of Portland, Oregon, who has been visiting E. E. Oswald, and family a few days, returned home Friday evening. Mr. Gamble was here 22 years ago and was foreman of the gang, of men, who built the grist mill here at that time.

Z. A. Peets, of Bay City, was in the city Friday.

R. Burgland was a Forest Hill visitor last Friday.

W. L. Wood attended conference at Lansing Friday.

Rev. Hood left Saturday for a short visit at Elmira.

Mrs. L. E. Wilson was a Saginaw visitor last Friday.

W. S. Humphreys was in Saginaw Friday on business.

Miss Beulah Weaver, visited in Ellwell Friday evening.

Mrs. Gloyd White spent Friday visiting friends at St. Louis.

George Youngs transacted business at Pewamo last Thursday.

Attorney J. D. Spinney transacted legal business in Belding Friday.

Mrs. O'Boyles spent Sunday visiting friends and relatives at Forest Hill.

W. E. Adams, of Shepherd, was in the city transacting business Friday.

Miss Minnie Wagner was at St. Johns last Friday on a business trip.

Grant Terwilliger, of Clare, was an Alma visitor on business last Friday.

Mrs. P. M. Clark visited her daughter, Mrs. Maude Campbell in Shepherd Sunday.

T. W. Barnes, of Byron, was in the city Saturday shaking hands with old friends.

Miss Edna Campbell spent Sunday with her cousin, Amber Case in Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. J. W. Clark left Friday for Saginaw, where she will visit her daughter.

Miss Maude Rork spent Sunday at Ithaca, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Merchant.

Mrs. Fred Storey, was in St. Louis last Friday visiting at the home of her parents.

A. B. Eldridge and wife, returned Friday from a short visit at Edmore and Stanton.

Good re-cleaned seed oats, "Silver Mine" and "Big 4" for sale at Alma Roller Mills. 151612.

Milton Russell and wife were in Mt. Pleasant Sunday visiting Bert Forster and wife.

Mr. Boyd, of Kinderhook arrived Saturday for a visit at the home of Mrs. E. A. Gates.

Mrs. William Switzer, was at Shepherd Sunday visiting her parents, M. M. Root and wife.

George H. Maynard and daughter, Kate, spent Sunday in Marion visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Frances Ray spent last Friday at Wheeler the guest of a sick friend, Mrs. Julia Ellsworth.

A. N. York was at Sheridan the latter part of last week, holding a series of Quarterly meetings.

W. W. Rollin and wife returned Thursday from a several weeks visit with L. Y. Irish and family at Pontiac.

J. W. Henderson spent Sunday with his wife at Owasco, who is taking care of his mother, who is very ill.

Mrs. Anna Turner and Mrs. Nellie Gibbs, of Perry spent Sunday in the city the guests of friends and relatives.

Mayor Francis King returned Thursday evening from a several weeks' visit at Southern Pines, North Carolina.

W. A. Courtwright, of the Alma Theatre has placed an electric sign in front of his place of business on State street.

Mrs. Lydia Kehn who attended the funeral of her brother at Durand last week returned to her home in this city Saturday.

Mrs. M. Banghart, of Ann Arbor arrived Saturday to make her future home with her son, P. T. Banghart and family.

Mrs. Will Hopkins, of Shepherd, returned home Friday after a short visit at the home of Capt. Wright and family.

Mrs. A. A. York left Friday for St. Louis, where she will visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Miller for a few days.

Mrs. C. W. Prock, of Shepherd, who has been spending a few days at the home of Mrs. J. W. Clark returned home Friday.

Capt. Fred W. Davis, John A. Carey and Col. J. A. Gillespie, of Detroit, were in the city Thursday evening on I. O. O. F. business.

Amos Bay left Saturday afternoon for Valley Lake, North Dakota, where he will look up some land with the view of buying a farm there.

Margaret and Barton Alldredge visited at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Pratt in Ithaca Friday and Saturday last week.

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred fox terrier and cocker spaniel pups, the small kind, ready for immediate delivery. Inquire of Charles B. Murphy, 426 Maple Avenue. Union phone.

Miss Nina Nickerbocker, of Carson City visited with Dr. and Mrs. Maynard Pringle and wife Thursday taking the evening train for Mt. Pleasant where she will visit friends for a few days.

A republican caucus for the township of Coe will be held in Coe township hall in the village of Shepherd, on Saturday, March 28, at 2 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the various township offices.

Floyd Milliken and Miss Anderson will be united in marriage at the bride's home in this city this evening. The bride is a popular young Alma lady and the groom a hustling young man, was formerly employed at the Pratt tonorial parlors. They will make their home in Lapeer.

A. L. Fisher was in Ellwell Friday on business.

A. H. Stode, of Frankenridge was caller in the city Thursday.

J. W. Barron and wife were Saginaw visitors Tuesday.

Z. P. Wood was at Merrill Tuesday transacting business.

Herb Matlock, of Owasco, was a city caller Thursday.

John W. Davis of Cedar Lake was in the city Thursday.

F. H. Holt of Ithaca, was in the city today on business.

F. W. Bahike, of Ithaca, was an Alma caller Thursday.

W. D. Tucker, of Ithaca, was a caller in the city last Thursday.

W. Amshury, of Standish, visited his brother in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. Sophia Bahike left Tuesday for a visit with her son in Saginaw.

B. D. Gorsuch of Vestaburg was an Alma business caller Thursday last.

J. W. Blakely of Middleton was a business caller in the city Thursday.

T. A. Johnston of the Produce Co. made a business trip to Detroit Friday.

George Whitcomb, of Owasco, was an Alma caller last Friday on business.

Mrs. Mary Hammer and Miss Olga Walters spent Tuesday in Saginaw, visiting friends.

Mrs. S. A. Vliet left Tuesday for a short visit at the home of Theodore Nelson in Saginaw.

Mrs. Frank Harrington of Ithaca was in the city Friday the guest of Sam Vliet.

John Belland, singer at the Alma Theatre, spent Sunday with relatives at Big Rapids.

John Huggett, of Owasco, visited his son Charles, in this city, a few days last week.

Miss Myrtle Lewis left Friday for a short visit with her aunt Mrs. George Mooney in Ithaca.

The Alma Art Club will meet with Sadie Messenger on Wednesday of next week.

Miss Mabel Brainerd left today for Philadelphia, where she will take a course in music.

Mrs. R. F. Lake, of Ithaca